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Title: Regarding alleged violation of labour laws by ITC Paper Mill in Telanagana.

SHRI P. SRINIVASA REDDY (KHAMMAM). The irregularities in ITC PSPD Sarapaka (v), Burghamphad (Mandal), Khammam, Telangana is a violaton of labour laws. The ITC Paper MILL has 1500 permanent employees and 5500 contract employees. According to government rules, the company should engage 4800 permanent employees for the production of 7,40,000 mt, but the company is running with 1500 permanent employees. It is a kind of labour exploitation and violation of labour laws. While establishing the company with huge concessions from Govt., the authorities of ITC had given assurance to provide employment to the Scheduled tribes and poor people of the local area, but, only 0.5% (half percent) of the total employees are Scheduled tribes including the contract workmen. I, therefore, urge upon the Government to take urgent measures by appointing Inter-Ministerial Committee to look into irregularities of ITC Paper Mill in Telangana.